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*Report from Cienfuegos—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Yellow fever at Cruces.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Marsillan reports, November 19 and 26, as follows:

*Week ended November 17, 1906.*

Vessels inspected and bills of health issued.....	5
Vessels fumigated .....	3
Crews inspected.....	160

No yellow fever has been reported in this city during the week. Yellow fever is present only in the central part of this province.

On November 18, I went by morning train to Cruces on a visit of inspection. The town is situated on a tract of level ground and lookt quite dry, tho its unpaved streets are like swamps during the rainy season. Of the 4 cases of yellow fever reported there, I saw only 2. Doctor Delgado, the expert from Superior Board of Health, informed me that 1 case, a woman, died two days before, and another, a man, had recovered, leaving only 2 cases under treatment.

*Week ended November 24, 1906.*

Vessels inspected and fumigated .....	2
Vessels inspected but not fumigated .....	2
Bills of health issued .....	4
Crews inspected.....	130
Passengers landed at this port.....	2
Immune certificates issued .....	0

No quarantinable disease appeared on any of these ships.

Vessels fumigated prior to sailing were steamship *Norman*, for Mobile—one of her crew with temperature a little over 100° F., and was so noted on bill of health—and steamship *Pio IX*, for Gulfport, Miss.

On November 20 there was a case of yellow fever at Central Plantation, Parque Alto, about 26 miles from this city, which terminated fatally.

The two cases of yellow fever reported at Cruces in my letter of November 19, remain there under treatment and are convalescent. No new cases of yellow fever have been reported at Cruces and none in this city.

The general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, infected.

*Report from Habana—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Temperature of passengers taken before embarkation on transports for United States ports—Yellow fever.*

Passed Assistant Surgeon Stansfield reports, November 24, as follows:

*Week ended November 24, 1906.*

Vessels inspected and bills of health issued.....	14
Vessels not inspected and bills of health issued.....	5
Crews of outgoing vessels inspected.....	716
Crews of outgoing vessels not inspected .....	524
Passengers of outgoing vessels inspected.....	606
Passengers of outgoing vessels not inspected.....	248
Health certificates issued to passengers for Florida.....	398
Vessels fumigated prior to sailing.....	4
Pieces of baggage inspected and past.....	471

During the week there occurred 7 cases of yellow fever, with 1 death, in Habana. No cases were reported from other points in this island. The sanitary department has continued the work of inspecting, fumigating, and oiling to kill and prevent the propagation of mosquitoes.

The United States Army quartermaster has adopted the plan, on recommendation of this office, of having the temperature of all passengers taken before they embark on transports for United States ports. This work is done by the transport surgeon.

November 28. One new case yellow fever confirmed, Habana, November 28.

November 30. Yellow fever reported November 29. In Habana, 1 case; Cruces, 1 case; Union de Reyes, 2 cases, 1 death; Isabela de Sagua, 1 case. Unofficially reported in Rodas, 2 cases.

December 3. One case yellow fever confirmed December 3.

December 4. One case yellow fever confirmed December 4.

*Report from Matanzas—Inspection of vessels—Bills of health issued—Yellow fever.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Nuñez reports, November 26, as follows: Week ended November 24, 1906. Two bills of health were issued to vessels leaving this port for the United States.

Since November 6 no other cases of yellow fever have been reported in this province.

November 29. Three cases yellow fever, with 2 deaths, reported at Union de Reyes, this province.

November 30. Third case of yellow fever at Union de Reyes died yesterday.

December 3. One case yellow fever reported to-day at Jovellanos, this province.

*Report from Santiago—Inspection and fumigation of vessels.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Wilson reports, November 21, as follows:

Week ended November 17, 1906. Bills of health were issued to 8 vessels bound for the United States. One vessel was fumigated. No quarantinable disease has been reported.

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*Report from Guayaquil—Smallpox and yellow fever.*

Passed Assistant Surgeon Lloyd reports, October 31, as follows:

October 15 to 31, 1906: 4 deaths from yellow fever and 14 deaths from smallpox in Guayaquil.

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*Report from Calcutta—Transactions of service—Cholera, plague, and smallpox.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Eakins reports, November 1, as follows:

Week ended October 27, 1906: Bills of health were issued to the steamship *Swazi*, bound for Boston and New York, with a total crew of 53, and to the steamship *Lichtenfels*, bound for Boston and New York, with a total crew of 63. The usual precautions were taken, holds fumigated, rat guards placed on wharf lines, and Lascars' effects disinfected.